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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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METHOD AND DEVICE FOR GENERATING AND DETECTING A FINGERPRINT
FUNCTIONING AS A TRIGGER MARKER IN A MULTIMEDIA SIGNAL

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and examination,
please amend the above-identified application as follows: